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BELGRADE AND VIENNA FOR MONDALE ADVANCE OFFICERS AND S/S
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TAGS: OVIP (MONDALE, WALTER F.), UK
SUBJECT: BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

1. DENIS HEALEY, CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER - VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE MET HEALEY ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS DURING HIS PREVIOUS VISIT TO LONDON. THE BEETLE-BROWED HEALEY WAS LONG IDENTIFIED EXCLUSIVELY WITH DEFENSE QUESTIONS, BUT WORKED HARD AND WITH CONSIDERABLE SUCCESS TO MASTER THE DEMANDS OF HIS CURRENT POST, THE SECOND MOST POWERFUL JOB IN THE CABINET. AGGRESSIVE, TOUGH AND SOMETIMES RUDE, HE CAN ALSO BE EXTREMELY CHARMING. HEALEY

STANDS TO THE RIGHT OF CENTER IN THE LABOR PARTY, IS WELL-DISPOSED TOWARD THE U.S. AND NURSES AMBITIONS TO BE PRIME MINISTER.

2. RAMSAY MELHUISH (PRONOUNCED: MEL-WISH), HEAD OF THE NORTH AMERICAN DEPARTMENT. FCO - THE 45-YEAR-OLD MELHUISH WILL MEET THE VICE PRESIDENT WHEN HE ARRIVES AT THE FCO FOR MEETING WITH DR. OWEN. A CAREER
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DIPLOMAT, MELHUISH SERVED IN THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON BEFORE ASSUMING HIS PRESENT POST. EARLIER DIPLOMATIC ASSIGNMENTS TOOK HIM TO THE MIDDLE EAST, SOUTHEAST ASIA AND PRAGUE. HIS RELATIONS WITH U.S. OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN CORDIAL AND COOPERATIVE, AND HE IS WELL-DISPOSED TOWARD THE U.S.

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3. SIR ROBIN HOOPER, OFFICIAL GREETER, PROTOCOL DE-
PARTMENT, FCO - HE WILL MEET THE VICE PRESIDENT ON DE-
PARTURE FROM LONDON.KNIGHTED IN 1968, SIR ROBIN HAD A
DISTINGUISHED CAREER IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE BEFORE
RETIRING IN 1974. HIS ASSIGNMENTS INCLUDED HM'S
AMBASSADOR TO TUNISIA, SOUTH YEMEN AND GREECE.HE IS 63. SPIERS

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